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In re Patent Application of: Arthur Doskow et al.

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For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR

AUTHENTICATING CONTROL MESSAGES

IN A SIGNALING NETWORK

Examiner: P. W. Klimach

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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